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Docket No. 5038

### DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a utility patent is sought on the invention entitled A DIGITAL INTERACTIVE SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING FULL INTERACTIVITY WITH LIVE PROGRAMMING EVENTS, the specification of which was filed on March 11, 1997, as Application Serial No. 08/815,168, which is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of application Serial Number 08/598,382, filed February 8, 1996, entitled INTERACTIVE COMPUTER SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING AN INTERACTIVE PRESENTATION WITH PERSONALIZED VIDEO, AUDIO, AND GRAPHICS RESPONSES FOR MULTIPLE VIEWERS, which is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of application Serial Number 08/443,607, filed May 18, 1995, entitled COMPRESSED DIGITAL-DATA INTERACTIVE PROGRAM SYSTEM, which is a continuation-in-part application under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of application Serial Number 08/166,608, filed December 13, 1993, entitled COMPRESSED DIGITAL-DATA INTERACTIVE TELEVISION SYSTEM, which is a continuation application under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of Serial Number 07/797,298, filed November 25, 1991, entitled COMPRESSED DIGITAL-DATA INTERACTIVE TELEVISION SYSTEM.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, which became available between the filing dates of prior applications U.S. Serial Nos. 08/598,382, 08/443,607, 08/166,608, and 07/797,298, filed February 8, 1996, May 18, 1995, December 13, 1993, and November 25, 1991, respectively, and the national filing date of this continuation-in-part application.

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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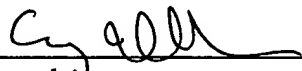
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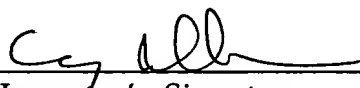
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